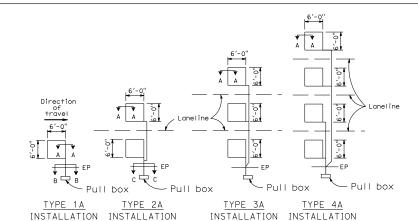
## LOOP INSTALLATION PROCEDURE

- 1. Loops shall be centered in lanes.
- Saw slots in pavement for loop conductors as shown in details.
- Distance between side of loop and a lead-in saw cut from adjacent detectors shall be  $2^\prime\text{-}0^\prime$  minimum. Distance between lead-in saw cuts
- Bottom of saw slot shall be smooth with no sharp edges.
- Slots shall be washed until clean, blown out and thoroughly dried before installing loop conductors.
- Adjacent loops on the same sensor unit channel shall be wound in opposite directions.
- Identify and tag loop circuit pairs in the pull box with loop number, start (s) and finish (F) of conductor. Identify and tag lead-in-cable with sensor number and phase.
- install loop conductor in slot using a  $\frac{3}{16}$ " to  $\frac{1}{4}$ " thick wood paddle. Hold loop conductors with wood paddles (at the bottom of the sawed slot) during sealant placement.
- 9. No more than 2 twisted pairs shall be installed in one sawed slot.
- 10. Allow additional 5'-0" of slack length of conductor for the lead-in run to pull box.
- 11. The additional length of each conductor for each loop shall be twisted together into a pair (6 turns per 3'-4" minimum) before being placed in the slot and conduit leading to pull box.
- 12. Test each loop circuit for continuity, circuit resistance and insulation resistance at the pull box before filling slots.
- 13. Fill slots as shown in details.
- 14. Splice loop conductors to lead-in-cable. Splices shall be soldered.
- End of lead-in-cable and Type 2 loop conductor shall be waterproofed prior to installing in conduit to prevent moisture from entering the cable.
- 16. Lead-in-cable shall not be spliced between the pull box and the controller cabinet terminals.
- 17. Test each loop circuit for continuity, circuit resistance and insulation resistance at the controller cabinet location.
- 18. Where loop conductors are not to be spliced to a lead-in-cable, the ends of the conductors shall be taped and waterproofed with electrical insulating coating.





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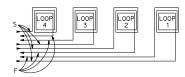
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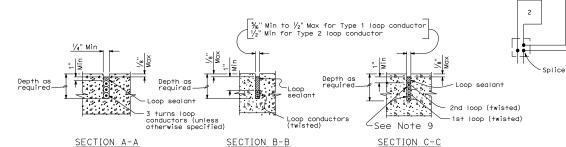
SAWCUT DETAILS (Type A loop detector configurations illustrated)

1. 1A thru 4A=1 Type A loop configuration in each lane. 2. 1B thru 4B=1 Type B loop configuration in each lane. 3. 1C=1 Type C loop configuration entering lanes as required. 4. 1D thru 4D=1 Type D loop configuration in each lane. 4. 1D thru 4E=1 Type B loop configuration in each lane. 6. 1D thru 4D=1 Type D loop configuration in each lane. (Use Type A, B, C, D, E or Q loop detector configurations only when specified or shown on plans)



See Notes 6 and 7





SLOT DETAILS - TYPE 1 AND TYPE 2 LOOP CONDUCTOR

TYPICAL LOOP CONNECTIONS (Dashed lines represent the pull box)

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